

## DANVILLE

## MRS. MARTHA J. McDONALD

Mrs. Martha J. McDonald, daughter of Nathan and Hannah Martin who died here last week was born Dec. 12, 1842 in the house now owned by J. R. Whitman, near Pumpkin Hill, and has lived all her life in Danville with the exception of six years when she lived with her uncle, Capt. John Martin in Minneapolis, Minn. She was married to Harvey McDonald, Nov. 7, 1861 and came a bride to the home where she has lived ever since. She had two sons, Galvin, who died in Brockton, Mass., Sept. 17, 1888, and P. H. who lives on the home place, and one daughter, Mrs. Fred Currier. Besides her children, she is survived by one sister, Mrs. Maggie Redhead of Minneapolis, Minn., sister, and three grand children, also three great grandchildren, residing in the only one remaining of the nephews and nieces. She was a member of the Congregational church for many years and was interested in all its activities and was always ready to lend a helping hand to those in need. She will be greatly missed in the community by old and young. The funeral was held from her late home Tuesday, May 19, her pastor, Rev. C. A. Adams officiating. The funeral out of town to attend the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. J. Adams and from Marshfield, Mrs. Julia Richards from St. Johnsbury, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clifford and Mrs. George Stanton from North Danville.

## CLARENCE L. BRYER

Clarence L. Bryer died suddenly at his home here Thursday evening, May 13. The funeral was held Sunday at one p. m. at the Methodist church, Rev. David Hickland officiating, with singing by Mrs. Hickland and Mrs. Hartshorn. There were several other mourners. Interment was at Concord cemetery.

Mr. Bryer was born in Groton, N. H., Sept. 20, 1842. At the age of 18 he enlisted with the 4th N. H. Volunteers, Co. L, in the Civil War, serving four years and one month.

Mr. Bryer leaves to mourn his loss his wife and son, LeRoy H., of Boston, also one son and two daughters by a former marriage, Joseph P. of Danville, Mrs. Hugh Meahan of Berlin, N. H., and Mrs. Harry Gordon of Danville, P. Q., one step daughter, Mrs. Gilbert Hastings of West Danville and several grand children.

Among those from out of town to attend the funeral were his two grandsons.

Many beautiful flowers showed the high esteem in which Mr. Bryer was held by relatives and friends.

The Caledonia County Association of Congregational churches will hold its annual meeting on Thursday, June 3, morning, at Danville and evening at North Danville. All are welcome to these sessions.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society will be held at Mrs. Harvey Dole's on Thursday, May 27, at three o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Smith spent Sunday last week at Lee Dow's in Cabot.

On account of the rain the baseball game between Danville high school and St. Johnsbury high school was postponed.

Tuesday night the play "A Regiment of Two" was given at the town hall by the senior and junior classes of P. R. Academy.

Oscar Rodgers has finished work at Arthur Webster's and has gone to work at the garage.

The many friends of Sam Ingalls are glad to know he is improving.

Miss Emily Fisher spent the week end at her home in town.

Pictures for Friday, May 28, will be Douglas Fairbanks in an eight reel picture entitled, "His Majesty, the American," and a news reel. The committee announced that every first Friday in the month a special program will be given.

The remains of Mrs. Abbie Thomas McCarthy were brought here Sunday for burial in the family lot.

Rev. C. A. Adams attended the convention of the N. E. division of the Red Cross in Boston last week.

Memorial Sunday, May 30th there will be a union service at the Congregational church. Rev. David Hickland will be the speaker. The members of G. A. R. and the veterans of all the wars are cordially invited to be present.

Mrs. J. W. Gillis, Mrs. J. A. Robertson and Mrs. C. A. Scott went to Barnet Tuesday as delegates to the W. C. T. U. convention.

Mrs. Mary Stocker and grandson, Edmund Pettigill visited at Nat Stocker's in Cabot last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. B. Sarant have returned to their camp for the summer.

W. C. Heath has been confined to the house the past week.

The grand chief of the Lytham Sisters, Ada L. Hardy, of Orleans, made her annual visit on Monday, May 24. She was entertained by Mrs. Rosa Steele.

Misses Melville and Annie Badger spent Sunday at their home in St. Johnsbury.

Mr. Crowley from Boston is spending the week at Fairview Cottage.

## PASSUMPSIC

Mrs. J. H. Wark had an operation on her eye last week which proved successful.

Mrs. Will Eastman has been quite sick.

Andrew Morgan has been attending the L. O. O. F. Entertainment in Burlington and has returned, spending the week-end in Concord.

Mr. Lindsay Stanhope, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ward and family, Grand Mrs. Allie Trotter motored to Lancaster, N. H., Sunday.

F. R. Ward of Kirby visited at H. P. Ward's Friday.

The Grace Mason club will give an entertainment at the hall May 29. Mrs. Doyle, reader.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Aiken of daughter, Mrs. A. Fulford Friday.

Mrs. James Impey of St. Johnsbury visited Mrs. John Galbraith one day last week.

Miss Margaret Warden of Lyndon

spent the week end with Miss Edith Ayer.

Mrs. Sarah Swazy of Lowell, Mass., is visiting Mrs. Roy Ayer.

The Memorial Exercises of the school will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the school here. All are cordially invited to attend.

Mr. Linday Stanhope, Mr. Harold Ward and two children, Mrs. Mrs. Minnie T. other motored to Joe's Pond Wednesday.

Rev. M. Spidle gave a devotion lecture at the church Tuesday night, which was very interesting.

The funeral of Mrs. Smith Emerson was held Thursday afternoon at her late home.

Mrs. Emerson, who has been visiting in Canada for some time and has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Watts of Barnet visited Mrs. Margaret Sawyer, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hanson went to Manchester, N. H., Saturday by auto, where they will remain for a while.

## CONCORD

Frank Frederic of Burke was in town the first of the week visiting at F. A. Gower's.

Mrs. A. M. Lowe of Gloucester, Mass., is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. George Smith.

Mrs. E. L. Davis of Waterford spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. L. H. Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Coopers, of Concord, were visitors at C. A. Morgan's and L. W. Hastings Sunday.

Clarence Lillierup is confined to the home on ton-sillitis.

E. A. Gray and Francis Lillierup went to Toledo the past week to drive home Overland cars.

Leon Richards of Kirby spent the past week with Mary Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Cutting of Littleton, N. H., called on friends in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cornish of Barton were guests at Charles Ross's Sunday.

Mrs. C. F. Cutting who has been spending some time with relatives in Boston returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hastings left Sunday for their new home in Bradford which they have recently purchased.

Services will be held next Sunday at the Universalist church with Rev. Mr. Hill as pastor.

Mrs. Charles Alton of Westminster, Vt., returned to her home Tuesday after spending several days with her cousin, Miss Abiel True.

Mrs. Ellen Jewell has been confined to the bed with the prevailing distemper.

Mrs. Ernest Quimby of Kirby has been helping in the home of Jacob Richardson the past week.

Mrs. Helen Stockwell remains very low.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. White and two sons and C. H. White, of Pierson, N. H., Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kiveler and daughter, Waver of Orleans, Miss Mildred Hartshorn, John McKenna, Mrs. George Lavature, Miss Perry, Abner and Albert Lavature, Harold Warren, and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hall of East Concord were Sunday guests at H. R. White's.

Mrs. Ellen Adams of Nashua, N. H., is spending a few days at Mrs. Ellen Bazin's.

George McFarland who has occupied Mrs. Ellen Bazin's tenement is moving his household goods to St. Johnsbury.

Clayton Powers of St. Johnsbury spent the week end at Reginald Holbrook's.

Mrs. Clara Burt of Windsor is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Bert.

A special meeting of Adah Chapter, O. E. S., No. 29 will be held Thursday evening, May 27. The degrees will be conferred and refreshments will be served.

Mrs. Myrtle Dughee of Bace is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Knapp of St. Johnsbury were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ralston Sunday.

Mrs. Edith Hutchinson spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Chase at St. Johnsbury.

Mrs. Dan Hubby of Lyndonville is spending a few days at A. N. Hodgdon's.

The pupils of the Junior high school are rehearsing for the pageant to be given Thursday, June 3 in the afternoon in connection with the class day exercises.

The fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades are being given final examinations this week. These examinations were made out by the superintendent in this section of the state. The same examinations will be given in all the schools under his supervision.

Pre-Memorial exercises will be held at the school building May 28, commencing at 2 p. m. Selections will be given by pupils from the grades and the high school. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

The date of the school rally is to be Friday, June 18, instead of June 19 as stated last week. There will be an exhibition of school work, a spelling contest, recitations, speakers from our town, games and a contest for young men, old, and a good time for everyone. The senior class will have an ice cream booth where ice cream cones will be on sale the proceeds the class plans to use as a contribution toward paying for the piano which was recently purchased for the high school.

The baccalaureate sermon for the graduating class of the Junior high school will be held next Sunday evening, May 30 at the Methodist church. Rev. George Smith will deliver the address.

Remember that Decoration day will be observed Saturday p. m. at the town hall as stated in last week's issue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hastings spent Sunday at F. E. Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Quimby of St. Johnsbury spent the week end

at H. A. Quimby's.

The social committee at the Universalist church for June are: Mrs. W. D. Chapin, Mrs. W. L. Reed, Mrs. P. M. Cobblish, Mrs. Edith Brooks, Mrs. Emma West, Mrs. Fred Woods.

Mrs. Addie Williams had her tonsils removed Friday.

Mrs. Flora Williams has finished work at Milo Ladd's and returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Landry spent Sunday at Walter Wells at Royalton corner.

Mrs. W. A. Bradshaw was in St. Johnsbury one day last week.

The first and second degrees will be conferred at the regular meeting of Concord Grange, No. 108, next Friday evening, May 29.

Mrs. C. A. Millmore who has been visiting relatives in Portland, Me., returned home Saturday.

Mrs. W. D. Chapin spent the week end at M. J. Spaulding's at Royalton corner.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Remick Tuesday, May 18. Mrs. E. L. Carpenter is caring for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McDonald of East Burke were at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Cutting Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Gale and children of St. Johnsbury were guests at Harry Morton's Sunday.

As W. J. Chapman was returning to his work in Lunenburg Sunday night he came near meeting with a serious accident. His horse was frightened by a going down the bank and was badly bruised and shaken up, but it is thought no bones were broken. The horses received some slight cuts and bruises and the wagon was badly demolished.

LOWER WATERFORD

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hemmingsway and Misses Marion Feman and Wilma Hemmingsway of St. Johnsbury were Sunday visitors at R. C. Hemmingsway's.

Fred Priest of Bethlehem N. H., and Ray Priest of St. Johnsbury were Sunday visitors at the home of their mother, Mrs. Jesse Coston.

Misses Mamie and Bessie Wright of St. Johnsbury were home over the week end.

William Douglas and son, Eugene, also Miss Verna Smith motored to Lenoxville, Can., for the week end.

A salad supper will be held at the school vestry on Friday, May 28. Everyone cordially invited to come and help swell the fund for church repairs.

Charles Ross of St. Johnsbury was a Sunday visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Ayles.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Sargent have returned from Los Angeles, Cal., and are now at their cottage at Joe's Pond.

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Gwendolyn Gilson has a position as stenographer for the Parker Young Co. at Woodsville, N. H.

Miss Flora Barber was home from Lyndonville for the week end with her parents at the Club House.

Mr. Foye of St. Johnsbury has commenced his work for the Darlings. He is framing the lumber here for a pavilion he is to build near the tea shop at Willoughby Lake.

He was universally recognized as a citizen of strict probity and integrity.

Funeral services were here yesterday at the home and were conducted by the Rev. F. H. Lund on the afternoon of Tuesday, May 18, and at the grave in Barnet village by all his surviving comrades of X. C. Stevens Post.

Dec. 21, 1870 he married Emily Bartlett of Johnson who deceased in 1901. He is survived by five children, Lawrence D., Edwin M., Phoebe A. C. Don, and Edna B., and one sister, Mrs. Walter M. Phelps of Melrose, also three little grandchildren.

WALDEN

The presidential primary meeting was very thinly attended last week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Kingsbury were up from St. Johnsbury last week calling on friends.

It would appear that even the friends of "Daylight Savings" are beginning to see that food production may be of more account to this country than any other of pleasure seeking.

The backward spring and season of farm help in making things look serious for agriculture.

Rev. and Mrs. Davis are away this week as he is going to Albion to drive home his car.

More than the usual number of people are attending church these days and yet there is room. An evening service will be held next Sunday.

Mrs. F. L. Shaw is not as well lately and Dr. Darling was called again Sunday.

Louis Fournier is boarding at St. Johnsbury until he can find a place to move his family.

A meeting of the milk producers was held last week. Mr. Hallitt and Sec. Adams were present and reorganized, electing Charles B. Bank, pres., and J. W. Thurston, Sec.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Fanning of Passumpsic visited at J. W. Thurston's and L. J. Kingsbury's Monday.

Gosant's mill is shut down for a week to give the help an opportunity to do farm work and make their gardens.

John Bonnet has a dairy of 20 cows on the Hanna farm besides the wild cow which has been running at large for two weeks.

Mrs. A. W. Rollins was quite sick last week, but is improving at present. The new road machines purchased by the town have not arrived thereby delaying spring road work.

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Mr. and Mrs. Perley R. Alles and two sons spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Alles.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Sargent have returned from Los Angeles, Cal., and are now at their cottage at Joe's Pond.

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